

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF )</b>	
<b>IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY )</b>	<b>CASE NO. IPC-E-03-13</b>
<b>TO INCREASE ITS INTERIM AND BASE )</b>	
<b>RATES AND CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC )</b>	<b>NOTICE OF SCHEDULING</b>
<b>SERVICE. )</b>	
<b>_____ )</b>	<b>NOTICE OF HEARING</b>

On May 25, 2004, the Commission issued Order No. 29505 in this Idaho Power Company rate case that approved a \$25,329,438 increase in the Company's annual revenue requirement. Three weeks later the Company filed a timely Petition for Reconsideration on several issues, including the Commission's adjustment to the test year tax expense. In Order No. 29547 issued July 13, 2004, the Commission granted reconsideration on the calculation of income tax expense and permitted the parties the opportunity to present new evidence regarding the use of a five-year average. The Commission directed Idaho Power and Staff to propose a procedural schedule to complete the reconsideration process, including an evidentiary hearing within the statutory time constraints.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that pursuant to agreement of Idaho Power and Commission Staff, the Commission has adopted the following procedural scheduling in this case:

Deadline for prefiling simultaneous direct testimony and exhibits	August 20, 2004
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Deadline for prefiling simultaneous rebuttal testimony and exhibits	September 3, 2004
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On the prefile dates, Parties must send a copy of testimony and exhibits to Parties of Record by e-mail **and** U.S. Mail.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission will conduct a technical hearing in this matter on **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2004, COMMENCING AT 9:30 A.M. AT THE COMMISSION HEARING ROOM, 472 WEST WASHINGTON, BOISE, IDAHO.**

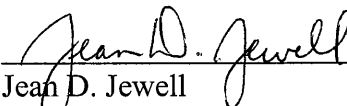
YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and that the Commission may enter any final Order consistent with its authority under Title 61.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all hearings in this matter will be held in facilities meeting the accessibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Persons needing the help of a sign language interpreter or other assistance in order to participate in or to understand testimony and argument at a public hearing may ask the Commission to provide a sign language interpreter or other assistance at the hearing. The request for assistance must be received at least five (5) working days before the hearing by contacting the Commission Secretary at:

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DATED at Boise, Idaho this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 2004.

  
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Jean D. Jewell  
Commission Secretary

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